

## Message Text

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S E C R E T TEHRAN 1709

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E.O. 11652: XGDS

TAGS: PDEV PORG UNSC ET SO

SUBJ: SECURITY COUNCIL ACTION ON THE HORN

REF: A. STATE 42000, B. TEHRAN 1708

1. IN READING TEXT OF "ELEMENTS" TO BE PROPOSED IN DRAFT RES  
TO BE PLACED BEFORE UNSC, I NOTE THAT IT DOES NOT REPEAT NOT  
CONTAIN REFERENCE TO "A NEUTRAL INTERNATIONAL ENTITY" TO  
"ENSURE SAFETY AND WELFARE OF INHABITANTS" WHICH WAS ONE OF KEY  
ELEMENTS IN FOUR POINT PLAN WHICH WE PRESENTED TO GOI FOR ITS  
ENDORSEMENT.

2. THE REFERENCE IN PARA 3 OF THE "ELEMENTS" TO "MACHINERY (E.G.  
ESTABLISHMENT OF OBSERVATION TEAMS)" FALLS FAR SHORT OF THE PROPOSAL  
IN OUR PLAN, IN THAT ITS ONLNCTION WOULD BE "TO MONOTOR" AND "TO  
REPORT".

3. IRANIANS WILL IMMEDIATELY SPOT THIS DISCREPANCY AND WILL WISH  
TO KNOW WHICH PROPOSAL IS CONTROLLING. PLEASE ADVISE IMMEDIATELY  
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WHETHER WE SHOULD TELL GOI THAT WE HAVE DROPPED OUR PLAN FOR OUR  
ENTITY TO PROTECT OGADENI AGAINST ETHIOPIAN REPRISALS OR WHETHER  
WE ARE STILL SEEKING TO HAVE SUCH AN ENTITY ESTABLISHED, EITHER  
WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF A UNSC RES OR THROUGH SOME OTHER MEANS.

4. THE ANSWER TO THIS QUESTION MAY BE SIGNIFICANT IN DETERMINING  
WHETHER THE IRANIANS (AND I SUSPECT SEVERAL OTHER GOVTs) WILL

ENDORSE OUR PLAN.

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